

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS  
FOR COMPLIANCE PROGRAM  
ASSESSMENT

Art Unit: 3629

Examiner: Ruhl, Dennis William

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TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is:  
Transmittal (3 pages); Amendment in Response to Office Action dated May 3, 2007,  
and made final (45 pages)

STATUS

2. Applicant  
☒ claims small entity status.  
☐ is other than a small entity.

### EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/> first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> second month	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> fourth month	\$ 1,590.00	\$ 795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> fifth month	\$ 2,160.00	\$1,080.00
	Fee Due	\$ 450.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.  
(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

- ☐ An extension of \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ 450.00.

**OR**

- (b) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE	OR	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE
TOTAL		MINUS		=	x \$9 = \$		x \$18 = \$0.00
INDEP.		MINUS		=	x \$44 = \$		x \$88 = \$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$150 = \$		+ \$300 = \$
					TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$0.00

(a) ☒ No additional fee for Claims is required

OR

(b) ☐ Total additional fee for claims required \$

### FEE PAYMENT

5. Attached is a check in the sum of \$

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$450.00  
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

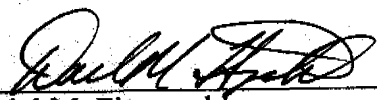
### FEE DEFICIENCY

6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

AND/OR

☒ If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

7. ☐ Other:

  
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